

THEATRE ROYAL.

On THURSDAY, July 27 1786, will be presented,
A Comic Opera, called, The
D U E N N A;

OR, THE DOUBLE ELOPEMENT.

The Part of Don Carlos, by Mrs KENNEDY;
Don Jerome, Mr HALLION;
Don Antonio, Mr BELL;
Don Ferdinand, Mr MICHEL;
Father Paul, Mr WILMOT-WELLS;
And Don Isaac Mendoza, (the Jew) Mr O'REILLY.
Margaret, (the Duenna) Mrs CHARTERIS;
Clara, Mrs J. BLAND;
Inis, Mrs O'REILLY;
And Donna Louisa, Mrs SPARKS.
To which will be added, a Farce, called, The
VIRGIN UNMASK'D.
Couper, Mr HALLION;
Quaver, (with a Song) Mr BELL;
Bliffer, Mr O'REILLY.
And the Part of Miss Lucy, by Mrs JORDAN.
Tickets to be had, and Places for the Boxes taken, of by
Giles, at the Office of the Theatre.

ST CECILIA'S HALL.

By Permission of the Governor and Directors of the
Musical Society.

MR MAHON most respectfully in-
forms the Public, that his CONCERT is fixed for
To-morrow Evening, THURSDAY the 27th of July.

P L A N.

ACT I.

Overture Abel.—Song, Signor Urbani.—Solo Concerto
Violin, Mr Mahon.—Song, Mrs Stuart, by particular desire,
Sweet Echo.

ACT II.

Song, Mrs Stuart.—Solo Concerto Clarinet, Mr Mahon;
Duet, Mrs Stuart and Signor Urbani.—Overture C. Haydn.

The Concert will begin at half past six, and will be finish-
ed in time for the Company to attend the Assembly.
Tickets to be had of Mr Mahon, at Mr Keith's, Advo-
cates Close, and at all the music shops.

New Music, Musical Instruments, &c.

In the Press, and to be published next week, by Corri and
Sutherland, Music Sellers to her Majesty, Price 11.
s. 6d.

A SELECT

Collection of Harpichord Music;

Consisting of: Concertos, Sonatas, Duets, National Airs, with
variations, &c. &c. with their proper accompaniments.

Dedicated (by permission) to

Her Grace the DUCHESS OF BUCCLEUGH,

By DOMINICO CORRI.

In this work the Editor has not only been careful in sel-
ecting good Music, but also particularly attentive in arrang-
ing the whole with proper marks of expression. The work
contains about 200 large folio plates, neatly engraved, and
printed on royal paper.

At the above shop may be had Harpichords, Piano For-
tios, Portable Grand ditto Portable ditto, for travelling in
a chaise, invented by Dom. Corri; Spinnetts, Guitars, Viol-
ins, Flutes, &c. &c. also all the New Music of merit,
Vocal and Instrumental, with every other article in the Mu-
sic way.

Highland Martial Music.

IN DUNN'S ASSEMBLY ROOM,

On MONDAY the 31st of July instant, at 11 o'clock
forenoon, will be held

THE Competition for Premiums given by the Highland
Society of London to the three best performers on the
HIGHLAND GREAT BAGPIPE, in presence of a Commis-
sion of Directors and Judges, named by the Highland
Society of Edinburgh.

The Candidates must all appear properly equipped in the
Highland dress, otherwise they will not be permitted to
compete.

Tickets to be had on Saturday at the music shops, and
at the shops of Messrs Creech and Elliot bookfellers at One
Shilling each. A plan of the performance will be delivered
at the door of the Assembly Room as last year.

FINE HYSON TEA.

WILLIAM THORBURN begs leave to acquaint the
many Ladies who have had their Teas from his ware-
house, that the Hysons of last sale are arrived, which he
thinks very fine. Price per lib. Middling Hyson, 6s. 6d.
very good ditto, 7s. fine ditto, 7s. 6d. very fine ditto, 8s.
on the coast flavour. Bohea, Congou, and Souchong, as
formerly, from the original chests.

W. THORBURN will be answerable for no Teas laid to be
from this warehouse, unless put up in bags of one or more
pounds upon which is marked his name, and the price that
was paid for the Teas.
Lith, July 22.

T E A S, &c.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

JOHN SWANSTON, at the head of Carrubber's Close,
has fill on hand above fifteen hundred weight of high-
flavoured Gottenburgh Black and Green Teas in the original
packages, mostly all purchased from his Majesty's Ware-
houses, and of a superior quality to any brought from the
English market. Also, a large cargo of fine old Jamaica
Double Rum, and other Foreign and British Spirits, at the
following prices, viz.—Bohea, 2s. and 2s. 6d.; Congo,
3s. 8d. and 4s.; Very fine, 4s. 6d. and 5s.; Shoulong,
3s. 3d. and 3s. 6d.; the finest, 6s. and 6s. 6d.; Com-
mon Greens, from 3s. 8d. to 6s.; Fine Hyson, 8s. 9s.
and 10s.; Best Double Rum, 8s. 6d. per gallon; Single,
6s.; Coniac Brandy, 8s. 6d.; ditto, 7s.; Common ditto,
6s.; Holland Gin, 7s.; Common ditto, 4s. 6d.; Shrub,
5s.; Faircloth, 5s.; Strong Whisky, 4s.; Ditto, 3s. 6d.
and 3s.; Fine Coffee, 1s. 8d.; and Sugars at prime cost to
tea and spirit customers.

J. SWANSTON recommends his Teas at 5s. 6d.; 5s. 9d.
and 6s.

At said shop may be had, a few Pieces of India Nankens,
and Soap, at 5s. per Cwt. or 6d. per pound.

J. TROKES has just received a fresh
Assortment of TEAS, at his Warehouse, Jamaica
Street, Glasgow, where dealers may be supplied by the
cheft, on the most reasonable terms, and the same tret and
allowance made as at the India Company's Warehouse.

PRESENT PRICE.

Hyson, from 7s. to 8s. 6d.
Congo, from 3s. 3d. to 5s.
Swedish, from 5s. 2d. to 5s. 6d.
Best Bohea, 1s. 11d.

N. B. Those who do not chuse to take chefts, will be sup-
plied on the same terms, if they take to the extent of 12 lb.
weight, excepting the allowance of tret and overweight.
Orders addressed to him, at his Wine, Rum, and Porter
Cellars, Jamaica Street, Glasgow, will be punctually at-
tended to.

AT DUNN'S ROOMS,

FOR the LAST of the FRENCH READINGS, as for-
merly advertised, there will be separate tickets de-
livered at HALF-A-GUINEA each, which will admit two.
The reading to begin at two o'clock.

The Piece to be read is,

LE GENTILHOMME CAMPAGNARD.

Tickets to be had at Mr Creech's, at Prince's Street Coffee-
house, and at Dunn's Rooms

JOHN JACKSON,

At his Hat Warehouse, head of Bridge-Street, Edinburgh,
HAS just now on hand a complete and elegant assortment
of all kinds of HATS, viz. Ladies Riding Hats, Gen-
tlemen's Riding and Dress Hats, cocked in the present Lon-
don and Parisian fashion. Also, a large assortment of Chil-
dren's Hats, and coaric Hats at all prices.

As nothing tends so much to the beauty and appearance
of a Hat as the durability of its colour, J. JACKSON, without
prejudice, can assure the public, that his Hats will retain
their colour, until fairly worn; in confidence of which, he
offers to return the price, if his assertion proves false. He
hopes therefore to be honoured with a share of the Public's
favour, and shall always make it his study to merit their
approbation

WILLIAM LOCKHART,

BOOT AND SHOEMAKER, EDINBURGH,
ESPE- TFULLY informs his Friends and the Public,
that he has opened a Warehouse, N° 20. South St
Andrew's Street, where (and at his Warehouse head of the
Cowgate) they will be supplied with every article in the a-
bove branches, of the very best quality.

In order to accommodate his customers, he always keeps
an assortment of BOOTS and SHOES ready made, equally
good as bespoke.

N. B. Proper attention paid to commissions from the
Country.

TEA KITCHENS,

WITH PATENT HORIZONTAL COCKS.

PETER FORRESTER AND CO. have just received from
London a most elegant assortment of TEA URNS,
with Patent Horizontal Cocks, being the only patent of the
kind in Scotland, which, with all articles of JEWELLE-
RY, SILVER PLATE, and HARDWARE, they continue
to sell, as usual, on the most reasonable terms; in particu-
lar, they recommend the following Goods, of the very best
qualities.

Gold Watches, plain, engraved, enamelled, and patent,
with seconds.

Silver and Gilt ditto, ditto, ditto.

Gold Lockets, Bracelets, Pins, Rings, Ear Rings, &c.

Diamond Rings, from 7 l. upwards.

Picktooth Cases, Etwees, Snuff Boxes.

Watch Chains, Seals, and Trinkets.

Silver Tea Pots, Tea Vases, Table, Desert, and Tea
Spoons.

Silver Castors, Candlesticks, Coffee Pots, Salts, &c.

Plated Tea Vases, Tea Pots, Coffee Pots, Castors, Cream
and Sugar Basins.

Bottle Sliders, Candlesticks, Bread Baskets, Toast Trays.

Table Spoons, Tea and Desert ditto, Dividers, and Sauce
Spoons.

Funnels and Stands, Salts, Mustard Pots, Decanters,
Horns, and Goblets.

Walters, Croffes, Rings, Taper Stands, &c. &c.

Japanned Tea Trays, Bread Baskets, Tea Pots, and
Walters.

Knives and Forks, with silver, plated, green, and white
ivory, horn, camwood, cocco, ebony, and horn handles.

Mahogany, Shagreen, and Paper Cafes for ditto.

Steel Hat Buckles, Bands, and Beads.

Umbrellas, Canes, Sticks, and Riding Whips.

Fowling Pieces, Powder and Shot, Pistols, Blunderbusses,
Flasks, Flint, &c.

A great collection of Prints, in gilt burnished frames.

Plated Bridle Bits, Stirrup Irons, and Spurs; Steel Spurs.

Silver and Plated Buckles, new patterns every two days.

N. B. All kinds of Russia Sheetings and real India Nan-
kens, at the Russia Warehouse, within the Exchange.

ROBERT JOHNSTON Junior,

Next door to the entry of the Exchange, Edinburgh,
WILL sell the following Goods, some of which greatly
below prime cost. Many of them are very fashion-
able, particularly.

Some Plated Candlesticks, Croets, Toast-racks, Salts, Sauce
Turins, Coffee Pots, Bottle Sliders, Table, Turin, Tea, and
Sauce Spoons, Sugar Bowls, Milk Pots, and Tongs, Ink
Stands, Table Croffes, Servers, Chamber Candlesticks, Pepper
and Mustard Pots, Butter Coolers, Soy Francis, Snuffers and
Snuff Boxes, Taper Boxes, Wine Funnels, &c.

Brown Tea and Coffee Vases, Japanned Tea Trays, Ser-
vers, Bread Baskets, Toast-racks, Ink Stands, Table Crof-
fer, Chamber Candlesticks, Tea Pots, &c. Tortoise-shell,
Ivory, and Horn Combs; Table Knives and Forks, Desert
ditto, Pocket Knives, Penknives, and Scissors; Razors,
Flams, and Lancets; Walking Sticks, Canes, and Whips;

Cane and Watch Strings, and Paries; Swords, Hangers, and
Pistols; Spectacles, Opera Glasses, and Concave ditto; Play-
ing Cards and Visiting Cards, with cafes; Pencils and Pen-
cil Cafes.

Just arrived, A new assortment of Plated Buckles, Plated
and Steel Spurs, Set Knees and Shoe Buckles, Gold Pins,
Lockets, Rings and Bracelets, Gold and Gilt Seals, a large
assortment of Cypher'd ditto, Ladies and Gentlemen's Pocket
Books, with a variety of Snuff Boxes, Jewellery Goods,
and Toys, to be sold great pennypurses.

Choice of Fowling Pieces, both single and double bar-
rel'd, best Battle Gunpowder, Patent Shot, Scots Lead,
fine Flints, Powder Flasks, Shot Bags, Fowling Nets, and
every other article for sportmen.

A fresh cargo of Genuine TEAS just imported, at the fol-
lowing low prices, viz.

Congo, 3s. 6d.—4s.—4s. 6d.

Souchong, 5s.—5s. 6d.—6s.

Hyson, 5s.—Good ditto, 7s.—Very best, 8s. 6d.

Some chefts of very fine Gottenburgh Teas, at 5s. 9d.—
6s.—6s. 6d.

N. B. To Let, the BACK SHOP immediately behind,
entry from within the Exchange.

TO be SOLD by public voluntary roup, within the Ton-
tine tavern of Glasgow, upon Wednesday the 16th
day of August 1786, between the hours of one and three af-
ternoon,

The Five-Pound Land, of old extent,

of MEIKLE AIKENHEAD, with the parsonage teinds
thereof, lying in the parish of Cathcart, and thire of Lanark.
The above lands are held of the Crown, and entitle to a
vote for a Member of Parliament. They contain about 165
acres of land, whereof 64 acres may be entered to at Mar-
tinas next. The present free rent of the whole is 227 l.
19 s.

These lands are almost all unenclosed, and are yet in their
natural state; and as they lie within two miles of the city of
Glasgow, they are capable of very great improvements.

The progress of writs may be seen in the hands of Patrick
Robertson writer in Glasgow.

TO be LENT, on personal security, at the term of Laim-

mas first.

One Thousand Pounds Sterling.

Apply to Allan Clarke writer to the signet.

BY ORDER OF THE

Hon. the Commissioners of Excise.

WANTED, ESTIMATES for Building a new EXCISE
OFFICE, upon that Area immediately fronting the
Lord President's house, east side of the New South Bridge.
The whole is proposed to be executed in a plain substantial
manner; and the measurement and prices of the different
parts of the work must be particularly specified, agreeably
to a plan to be shewn at this Office, by Mr Pearson, joint-
secretary, to whom estimates, sealed up, are to be given be-
twixt and the 1st of August next.

MASONS WANTED.

JOURNEYMEN MASONS will have the best encourage-
ment, and constant employment throughout the season,
by applying to Messrs ALLAN, STEUART, and CO.
Merchants in Leith.

To all Journeymen Cabinet-makers.

WHEREAS a very great scarcity of Good Workmen in
the Cabinet and Joiner's line, now prevails in the
city of Dublin, IMMEDIATE EMPLOY and GOOD
WAGES will be given to any number of men by applying to
Mr William Barber, George's Lane; Mr Robert Morgan,
Henry-street; Mr Robert Mallett, Caple-street; and Mr
Zach. Foxall, Inn's Quay. Dublin, July 3. 1786.

IN VERNES.

FRASER AND ANDREWS,

Woollen & Linen Drapers, Silk Mercers, & Haberdashers,

BEG leave to inform the Public, That they are just re-
turned from London, and the different manufacturing
towns in England and Scotland, and will open their new
Warehouse at Inverness, on Thursday the 3d of August next,
when they humbly hope for a share of public favour and coun-
tenance.

N. B. Orders from the country executed on the lowest
terms, and with the strictest attention.

Preservation of Game.

THE EARL of HOPETOUN being resolved to preserve
the GAME on his own and the Marquis of Amman-
dale's estates in the counties of Linlithgow, Edinburgh,
Haddington, Fife, Lanark, and Dumfries, hopes no person
will hunt or shoot thereon.

All poachers hunting or shooting on the said estates will
be prosecuted as the law directs.

A REAL AND VALUABLE CHANCE.

Irish State Lottery.

Begins drawing on Monday the 7th of August.

HORNBY AND CO. at their old established office, No.
26, Cornhill, acquaint their numerous subscribers to
the last Irish and English State Lotteries, (among whom they
had the honour of dividing upwards of 30,000 l.) and the
public in general, that they have opened a new subscription
for the present Irish State-Lottery, at only half a guinea and
five shillings and sixpence, which subscription Hornby and
Co. flatter themselves will be found to surpass any other
ever before offered to the public, as it affords the purchaser
an equal chance of gaining as much money for a 10,000 l.
prize, by laying out only half a guinea, as he could for the
same sum in the last English State-Lottery, that contained a
20,000 l. prize; and so in proportion for every other capital
prize, thereby rendering the Irish scheme equal to the Eng-
lish.

The whole of the purchase-money will be returned, if
drawn only a small prize of 10 l. and, if above a 10 l. prize,
a new subscription, gratis, beside the prize it may be en-
titled to.

FOR HALF-A-GUINEA ONLY.
To continue for the whole time
of Drawing.

1st L. 10,000 to L. 800 0 0

5000 to 400 0 0

2000 to 100 0 0

1000 to 50 0 0

500 to 20 0 0

100 to 10 0 0

50 to 5 0 0

20 to 2 10 6

10 to 1 10 6

5 to 10 0 0

2 10 0 0

1 10 0 0

10 to 0 5 6

Being the whole of the pur-
chase-money.

First and last drawn, 80l. each.

FOR ONLY
FIVE SHILLINGS & SIXPENCE.

To continue for the whole time
of Drawing.

1st L. 10,000 to L. 400 0 0

5000 to 200 0 0

2000 to 50 0 0

1000 to 20 0 0

500 to 10 0 0

100 to 5 0 0

50 to 2 10 0

20 to 1 10 0

10 to 0 16 0

5 to 0 5 6

Being the whole of the pur-
chase-money.

First and last drawn, 40l. each.

Purchasers buying five of either Class, will receive five
times their purchase-money, if all are drawn Prizes.

Beside these advantages, there is another material circum-
stance to be attended to; HORNBY and COMPANY en-
gage not to advance any thing upon their terms, to those
Subscribers who purchase before the drawing, should they
wish to renew their subscription. And on every 10 l. Prize
the first cost is returned, or a new subscription during the
drawing, let the price of Tickets go as high as they will,
the two last days of drawing only excepted.

The Prizes will be paid as soon as drawn, without any
discount or deduction whatever.

Letters (post paid) duly answered.

Subscribers to this Society may have the account of their
numbers sent to any part of the Town or Country, free of
expense.

Schemes to be had gratis, at No. 26, Cornhill.

Distillery, &c. to be Rouped.

TO be SOLD by public roup, on Monday the 31st day
of July 1786, betwixt twelve and one o'clock, mid-day.

That DISTILLERY and BREWERY in Grangeopans,
near Borrowstounness, which belonged to the deceased David
Whyte.—The roup of these Subjects has been adjourned from
time to time, in the view of that advantageous alteration to
the traders taking place in the Excise laws, which has late-
ly happened; and as the terms of that alteration are public-
ly known, the roup will proceed said day at the Distillery,
without any adjournment.

There is no situation more commodious for carrying on
the Malting, Brewing, or Distilling, to a very great extent,
either for home consumption or exportation.—The Subjects are
close by the sea, grain may be landed at the door from ves-
sels of 60 tons.—The harbour of Borrowstounness is within
five minutes walk, and there is great plenty of coal at
hand.—The whole are inclosed with a square 105 feet by
100, and consist of Still-house, Brew-house, Malt-barn about
164 feet in length, by 16 breadth; a Granary above the
Barn somewhat larger; large Steep and Kiln in proportion
to the Barn; Stable, Byre, and Hay-loft; A Dwelling-house
consisting of dining-room, bed-room, writing-room, servants-
room, kitchen, and a pump-well in the centre. The build-
ings may be raised higher; and a purchaser may have it in
his power to be accommodated with a lease of the Farm of
Stacks, which is at present out of lease, and lies within a
mile of the Distillery.

The progress of writs and conditions of sale, are in the
hands of William Finlayson, writer in Edinburgh.

IRISH STATE LOTTERY, 1786,

Begins Drawing the 7th of August.

Not Two Blanks to a Prize.

THE Original TICKETS, and SHARES from a Half
to a Sixteenth, stamped and secured agreeable to act
of Parliament, are selling in variety of numbers by

JAMES THOMSON AND SON,

INSURANCE BROKERS.

The only Licensed Lottery Office Keepers in Scotland
on their own account.

Tickets and shares registered at 6d. each number.
Letters (post paid) duly answered.—Schemes Gratis.

IRISH STATE LOTTERY, 1786.

Begins drawing the 7th August.—Not two Blanks to a Prize.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE, July 22.
By the Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of IRELAND,

A PROCLAMATION.

RUTLAND.

WHEREAS the Parliament of this kingdom stands prorogued to Tuesday the 18th day of July instant: We do publish and declare, that the said Parliament be, and accordingly the said Parliament is hereby further prorogued to Tuesday the 15th day of August next: Whereof the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons in this present Parliament, are to take notice accordingly.

Given at his Majesty's Castle of Dublin, the 17th day of July, 1786.

By his Grace's command,

S. HAMILTON.

GOD Save the KING.

War-Office, July 22, 1786.

1st Regiment of dragoons, Abenedgo Mathew, Gent. is appointed to be Cornet, vice Sir Robert Harland.

23d Regiment of foot, Lieutenant Thomas Chapman to be Quarter-Master, vice William Manners. Second Lieutenant J. Loring Winflow to be First Lieutenant, vice Charles Frazer. George Stepany, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice J. Loring Winflow.

25th Regiment of foot, Thomas Hillierford Butelet, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Lord Robert Fitz Gerald. 73d Regiment, late 44d, Lieutenant Alexander McGregor to be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Joseph Simpson, from the Invalids at Berwick, to be Lieutenant in Captain Tydd's independent company of Invalids at Pendennis, vice Arthur Rofe, who exchanges.

Lieutenant Arthur Rofe, of the Invalids at Pendennis, to be Lieutenant in Captain Terrett's independent company of Invalids at Berwick, vice Joseph Simpson, who exchanges.

Lieutenant Thomas Thompson, on half-pay in the 71st regiment, to be Deputy Commissary of Musters, vice William Hughes.

LLOYD'S LIST, July 21.

CAPTAIN Delamore, of the Alfred, from Jamaica, on the 10th ult. in lat. 44. 48. N. long. 42. 31. W. spoke the Glandine, King, from New York to Cadiz, out 18 days, all well.

The Prince of Wales, Coffin, was well on the coast of Brazil the 10th of March last.

Captain Watson, of the Lydia, from Antigua, spoke the Effort, Walgrave, from Antigua, about fifty leagues to the westward of the Lizard, all well.

LONDON, July 22.

Yesterday morning, Lord Grantham died at his house at Putney Common. His Lordship was born at Vienna in 1738, and married in August 1780 to Lady Mary Grey, daughter of the present Earl of Hardwicke, by whom he had three sons, the elder of whom is now Lord Grantham.

It is said, that as soon as the Lord Chancellor gets through the business now before him, he will resign; and that the Seals will be put into commission, at the head of which his Lordship will be placed.

Yesterday 70 beautiful horses of the stud of the Prince of Wales were brought to town from Newmarket to Tattersall's, for sale by public auction.

We are informed, that the affairs of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales are in a fair way of being adjusted by a set of gentlemen, who have, with a truly patriotic zeal, stepped forth, in the most honourable manner, to rescue his Highness from that disagreeable predicament which he has been lately involved in.

The same correspondent has likewise informed us, that his Royal Highness has appointed Lord Loughborough as acting trustee for the arrangement of his affairs. The whole plan has, we understand, been conducted by the advice and direction of Mr Fox, to whose splendid and disinterested abilities the Prince is peculiarly indebted.

Yesterday, the Hon. Captain Waldegrave was at the levee for the first time since his marriage at Venice, from whence he arrived with his bride a few days since. He was presented to the King, on the occasion, by his brother Lord Waldegrave.

B. Burton, Esq; is appointed to the Chief Justiceship of Antigua, in the room of Mr Jarvis, deceased.

Orders have been given from the Admiralty-office, for building six new ships of the line at the King's yards, viz. one of 90, and one of 74 guns, at Plymouth; one of 74 guns at Portsmouth; one of 74 guns at Sheerness; and two of 74 guns at Deptford yard.

The Gazette de France, of the 14th of this month, contains a long account of the ceremonies which took place in consequence of the birth of the young Princess, who was baptized by the Archbishop of Metz a few days since, by the names of Sophie-Helena-Beatrix.

The Directors of the East India Company have received intelligence of four more ships from China, which are shortly expected, viz. five by September, and seven other before the conclusion of the year.

This morning was determined before Dr Calvert, in the Commons, the suit between Mrs Inglesfield, and Captain Inglesfield, her husband, when the lady's innocence being fully proved, the Judge pronounced a decree, that he should take Mrs Inglesfield home, and treat her with matrimonial affection.

At the door of an undertaker in Shoreditch, within an unlined oaken coffin, these words are written on a piece of paper watered to the wood, *Lodging to let unfurnished.*

A Medical Duel.—When Comte Cagliostro was at St Petersburg, he frequently said that the Czarina's first physician was only the first quack in the empire. The Imperial Esculapian, a Lieutenant General in her Majesty's army, being informed of what the Comte had published about him, sent Cagliostro a challenge, and named swords for the weapon of revenge. "That is not the way for medical gentlemen to settle their disputes, and obtain satisfaction for an injury received," answered the Comte; "I know no better method than the following: I shall give you a pill, you must swallow it, and then endeavour to prevent its malignant influence. You will give me what you think proper, and I shall strive to cure myself, and the survivor shall be proclaimed victor." Catharine's physician

refused acquiescing, and the Comte shewed the proper method of fighting medical duels.

NEW LONDON, May 12.

Account of an uncommon animal, communicated in a letter from a young gentleman in the garrison of Fort Hermer, on the Ohio, to his parents in Windham.

"A creature of the amphibious kind, by the Indians called Oquao, is not the least remarkable among the innumerable curiosities with which this country abounds. This animal has two heads; a property which, perhaps, belongs not to any other in existence; his tail is fifteen feet long; otherwise he in some measure resembles a turtle. By day the Oquao is rarely seen, as then he lies close in his retreat under water; but at night he wanders abroad to satisfy his hunger; the deer are his favourite game, and his manner of taking them is insidious and cruel. He places himself in a deer-path, where, without motion, and having the appearance of a stump more than of an animal, he waits the approach of his unsuspecting prey. The deer strides heedlessly over his destroyer, who throws out his tail, entwines him in a moment, drags him in spite of all his resistance to the next creek, and there drowns and devours him. One of these uncommon animals was discovered last week by a soldier early in the morning, as he was dragging off the booty of the night; several gentlemen who were near went immediately in quest of him; and as those creatures are far from being swift, he was soon overtaken. With great difficulty, after having borne the strokes of a dozen clubs for near half an hour, he was killed; happily for us he held his prey to the last, otherwise our attempt might have been attended with some danger; his eyes had such a malignant keenness, that I could not help regarding the very sight of him as being truly horrid. We released the deer, which was already dead from his fatal gripe, brought him home, and weighed him (the Oquao) and found his weight four hundred and forty-four pounds.

PRICE OF STOCKS, JULY 22.

Bank Stock, 149 1/2	Ditto New Ann. 177 1/2
5 per cent. Ann. 111 1/2	Ditto 175 1/2
4 per cent. Ann. 177 1/2	India Stock, —
a 96 1/2	1 per cent. Ann. —
3 per cent. con. 74 1/2	India Bonds paid, —
3 per cent. red. 74 1/2	Ditto unpaid, —
3 per cent. 172 1/2	Navy Bills, 2 1/2
Long Ann. 22 3/4	Exch. Bills, —
Ditto 177 1/2	Lottery Tickets, 11 s.
South Sea Stock, 144 1/2	6 d. a 12 s.
3 per cent. Old Ann. 74 1/2	Consols for open, 76 1/2

WIND AT D E A L, JULY 21. N. N. W.

EDINBURGH.

Extrait of a letter from London, July 22.

"The present appearance of the political atmosphere, to short-sighted politicians, does not threaten much to disturb the peace of Europe. If very recent accounts, however, from divers parts of Holland, are to be rightly considered, and have the serious consideration given them that they deserve, a violent storm may before long succeed the calm that at present reigns. Private correspondents have, for some time past, given reason to apprehend a general insurrection in Holland; and the dispatches lately received by Government are said to confirm this beyond the possibility of a doubt. The breach between the Prince Stadtholder and his enemies becomes every day wider and wider, and the late advices give no hopes of a possibility of healing it up. The citizens had formed themselves into military associations, and were determined to espouse the cause of their respective parties.

"Beliefs the public declaration that has been made by the British Ambassador at the Hague on this important subject, a certain great personage is said to have written a private letter to the Prince of Orange, expressing his concern at his present situation, and assuring him of every support, if necessary, for refusing him therefrom, and restoring him to his proper state of dignity and power.

"Should matters come to extremities, the line of conduct for Great Britain will not be very clear as to leave her under no difficulty how to act. The King of Prussia can no longer withhold that aid which the Stadtholder demands on account of the near relationship he bears him; but Great Britain can have no inducement to interfere in the behalf of Holland, or any of its quarrels, unless ingratitude, and that of the worst kind, should demand our services in a moment of danger and distress.

"However true this may be, there certainly is a very strong predilection in the mind of a certain great personage for taking the part of the Dutch; and the reason assigned for it is, that, as a member of the German league, he is bound to counteract the views of the Emperor, in favour of whom the present disturbances of Holland are thought to be brought on, and fomented by the French interest, that has so long since been making way into the very heart of the Dutch cabinet. A majority of the British Ministry have, it is said, declared their opinion, that we should remain neutral, should the king of Prussia be obliged to proceed to extremities; and war is terrible for them to think on: but, that entirely out of the question, they do not think we have any business to interfere in the matter.

"Thus circumstanced, it is to be hoped, that peace and order will be restored to the States of Holland; as otherwise, it will be more than probable, that all the leading powers of Europe will sooner or later be involved in a war.

"It is now confidently said, that the Chancellor means to retire from public business, but more on account of a difference of opinion on a great political point, than his ill state of health."

Lady Pringle of Stichel was safely delivered of a son on Saturday last, the 22d, at her house in George's Square.

Anne Hilton, relict of Mansfield Cardonnel, late Commissioner of the Customs in Scotland, died here on Sunday last.

Miss Jean Dewar died on Monday last at her house in Crichton-street.

Miss Katharine Bertram died at Kerwell the 23d current.

Yesterday morning, Counsel were heard before

Lord Braxfield Ordinary, on the question, between the City of Edinburgh and the College of Justice, regarding the latter being subjected to the payment of lamp money. The Hon. Henry Erskine spoke in favour of the College, and Mr George Fergusson for the City. The Lord Ordinary was pleased to order memorials to himself upon the whole cause, to be given in the 2d of October next, and interchanged, and informations from these memorials to be ready by the 14th of November, to be then reported by his Lordship to the whole Court.

In the trial of Thomas Simpson and Alexander Brown, mentioned in our last, after the examination of witnesses was finished, the Lord Advocate flamed up the evidence for the Crown, and the Hon. Henry Erskine for the pannels. The Lord Justice Clerk then delivered his charge to the Jury, and appointed them to return their verdict yesterday at two o'clock, which they accordingly did, finding, by a plurality of voices, the pannels not guilty, whereupon they were absolved simpliciter and dismissed from the bar.

This day, the Presbytery of Edinburgh appointed the ordination of Mr William Cameron to be minister of Kirknewton in East Calder, to take place on Thursday the 17th of August next; the Rev. Mr William Paul, one of the ministers of the West Church, to preach and preside at Kirknewton upon that occasion.

Yesterday, his Majesty's purse of one hundred guineas was run for over the sands of Leith, and won by

Mr Wetherell's bay horse Harlequin jun. 1 1
Duke of Hamilton's bay horse Millfield, 3 2
Mr Williamson's bay colt Clehonger, 2 dr.

This day, the Noblemen and Gentlemen's subscription purse of Fifty Guineas, was run for over the same course, and won by

Mr Williamson's bay colt, Clehonger, 1 1
Duke Hamilton's bay horse, Disguise, 2 2

Yesterday afternoon, a boy diverting himself on the Calton-hill, fell over the rock, and was unfortunately killed.

This day, John Johnston was executed at the west end of the Tolbooth, in pursuance of the sentence of the High Court of Justiciary, for the crime of theft, and of being habit and reputed a thief. He was attended at the place of execution by the Reverend Mr John Kemp, one of the ministers of this city, and behaved in a manner suitable to one in his unhappy situation. We hear, he has made an ample confession of a number of crimes, besides that for which he suffered.

Mrs Jordan still draws very full houses at the Theatre Royal. She possesses that elegance of manner, beauty and vivacity, which never fail to please, and she may be ranked as one of the best comic actresses that has appeared upon this stage.

A correspondent remarks, that the taste of an Edinburgh audience never displayed itself to greater advantage, than by the unbounded plaudits bestowed upon the Musical abilities of Mrs Kennedy. This Lady generally performs a male character, which she performs with such a delicacy as entirely obliterates any seeming impropriety which might arise in the minds of an over-nice critic. Her voice is most powerfully harmonious; and those beautiful lines which Milton gives to Comus were never more happily adapted, than to her performance of the Song of "SWEET ECHO," on Monday night:

"Can any mortal mixture of Earth's mould,

"Breathe such divine, enchanting nourishment?"

Monday came on at Haddington, the election of a member for the county of East-Lothian, when John Hamilton, Esq; of Pencairland, was unanimously chosen.

The Commissioners of Excise, we are informed, have purchased one of the areas on the South Bridge, opposite to the Lord President's house, on which they intend to build an elegant Excise-office, for the better accommodation of that Board.

Early on Saturday morning a person or persons had the audacity to break into a manufacturer's working shop at Greenhead, Glasgow, and cut out of the loom 17 yards and upwards of fine mullin, and 15 spindles of cotton yarns.

The Grampus, Balfour, is arrived at Leith, from the Greenland seas, with four whales.

The Endeavour, Robertson, from London, arrived in Leith harbour this forenoon.

Last night, several Dutch men of war came up the Frith, and are now lying in Leith Roads. It is said, their intention of coming here is to take in guns at Carroon.

ORPHAN HOSPITAL.

THE Anniversary Sermon, for the benefit of the Orphan Hospital, is to be preached in St Andrew's Kirk, New Town, on Tuesday the 1st August, at 11 o'clock forenoon; after which the Orphans will sing a hymn of gratitude to their bountiful benefactors.

The Managers, trusting to the benevolence of the public, who have testified their regard to that pious institution by many donations and legacies, at last election admitted, from numerous petitions of poor widows with indigent families, 35 orphans, which is 25 more than the present funds of the Hospital can maintain. This expense, with many necessary improvements on the house, render contributions at this time the more necessary.

It is, therefore, expected, that those who cannot attend the Anniversary Sermon will find their mite to the support of 140 pious, industrious Orphans, who have, since August last, after school hours, when they learn reading, writing, arithmetic, music, and the principles of religion, performed, with their own little hands, the following work, viz.

The Girls have spun as much yarn as makes 483 yards of linen cloth, which they have made into shirts, &c. for the whole family. They have made all their own gowns, petticoats, and other apparel. They make all the beds, clean the wards and whole house, assist in washing and dressing the linnen, and serve by turns in the kitchen. The youngest Girls are employed in making lace, which is sold at the Hospital.

The Boys have spun as much yarn as makes 453 yards woollen stuff to clothe the whole family. As Tailors, they have made and mended all their own clothes; as Shoemakers, have made and mended all the Hospital shoes; and as Bookbinders, bound all their own books. The Boys and Girls have knit 280 pairs of stockings; and, when they are not at play without doors to keep their young minds cheerful, they are encouraged to sing and dance in the house to their own music.

As an evidence of the proper economy of the Orphan Hospital, there has not been a death in that house since February 1784. Where can a family of 130 to 140 children be found, out of which, for two and a half years, none have

died? and who are more happy or beneficial to the community? Or where can a small donation or legacy be more properly applied, to indulge the pleasant feelings of humanity, to promote the great ends of religion and civil society?

N. B. Above one half of the Orphans have a title to the Charity Workhouse, whereby about 400 l. per annum is saved to the citizens, who are obliged to support that institution; while the Orphans are better qualified for servants, apprentices, or virtuous and useful members of the community.

SOUND SHIPPING.

PASSED THE SOUND,

July 9. Peggy of and from Montrose, Catrigie, for St Peterburgh, in ballast.

10. Vella Nova of Alcoa, Spittal, from Memel, for Grangemouth, with ballast.

Success of Newcastle, Gibson, from Grangemouth, for Memel, in ballast.

Edinburgh, July 11. 1786.—Wind N. W.

WOOD AND HOWDEN.

AERIAL JOURNEY.

TO-MORROW, being THURSDAY, if the wind and weather permit, Mr LUNARDI proposes to Ascend from HERIOT'S GARDEN, with his ROYAL BALLOON.

Should the weather prove favourable, the Public will be assured of his intention to ascend by a Flag displayed from the Castle, and another from his apartment in the British and French Tavern, New Town.

The operation of inflating the Balloon will be begun immediately after the Races; and, during the process, the Company will be entertained with martial airs, by the Military Band.

The Machi being double the size of the former one, Mr Lunardi intends to take a Lady or a Gentleman along with him.

Tickets of admission, at 3 s. each, to be had at the following ing places:

Mr Creech,
Messrs White and Mitchell,
Messrs Corri and Sutherland,
Walker's, and Poole's Hotel,
British and French Tavern,
And at Heriot's Garden. } New Town,

If the weather prove contrary to his experiment, Mr Lunardi will fulfil his promise on Friday or Saturday, or the first favourable day.

Borrowfounness Races.

ON Friday the 18th, and Saturday the 19th of August, there are to be several Races at Borrowfounness, for the following Prizes.

A Purse with TEN GUINEAS, given by his Grace the Duke of Hamilton.

A Purse with THREE GUINEAS, given by the Town.

A handsome Silver Plated PORTER MUG, also given by the Town, with some smaller Prizes.

And a SADDLE given by his Grace's Colliers.

Horses, Mares, or Geldings, entering for the Duke's Purse, are to carry the following weight:

Four years old, to carry	8 stone.
Five years old,	9 stone.
Six years old,	9 stone 11 lbs.
Aged,	10 stone.

The Horses, &c. for this Prize are to be entered on Thursday evening the 17th August, betwixt the hours of seven and nine, at Mr John Bain's, vintner in Borrowfounness; and for the other Prizes, at the same house the next morning, betwixt eight and nine, at which time the articles are to be seen for the several races; and if the Horses do not enter at the time mentioned, it will be in the sole option of the Managers to defer them. No Horses, &c. that ever won a 20 l. prize or upwards, to be admitted, unless three such appear belonging to different owners, and enter and run.

It is proposed that the first race be started at twelve o'clock noon.

PARISH MEETING.

THE heritors and members of the Kirk Session of St Catherine's, are desired to meet at West Kirk on Tuesday the 11th day of August 1786, at twelve o'clock mid-day to assist the parish, for support of the Poor for the current year.

The Heritors are also to take notice, that the reports from the Committees respecting the Chapel of Ease are this to be laid before them.

Intimation to Retailers of Wine.

WHEREAS, by several acts of parliament, respecting Retailers of Wine in Great Britain, it is in substance enacted, That no person shall sell Wine, or any liquors called or reputed Wine, or known by the name of Sweet or Made Wines, by retail; that is, in any less quantity than shall be equal to the measure of the cask in which the Wine may be lawfully imported, unless they are previously licensed for that purpose, under the penalty of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS.—That every person so licensed shall, if they continue to sell Wine by retail, take out a new license ten days at least before the expiry of the year for which they are licensed; and that no person licensed to retail Wine shall keep more than one place of sale by virtue of one license; and they shall cause the word WINE to be written or expressed in legible characters on their sign, or some visible part in the front of such place of sale, under the penalty of TEN POUNDS.

And whereas several persons in Scotland have presumed to retail wine without being licensed, and others have neglected to renew their licenses ten days before the 5th day of July annually, in terms of law, whereby it is already become necessary to commence prosecutions in the Court of Exchequer against a number of transgressors for recovery of the statutory penalties, which has been attended with great expense to them: This intimation is therefore given to all persons offending against the acts of parliament before referred to, that unless they immediately comply with the law in the several particulars before mentioned, the like prosecutions will be commenced against them.

Attendance is given here for granting licenses, from the 25th of June to the 5th of July annually, betwixt the hours of ten forenoon and three afternoon, and, during the rest of the year, from ten to twelve o'clock forenoon, Saturdays and holidays excepted. The rates of license are 3l. 6s. 9d. when they have a current license for retailing ale and beer only; and 1l. 6s. 9d. when they have a current license for retailing foreign spirits. When application is made for a Wine license, their other license must be produced here.

By Order of the Hon. the Commissioners of the Stamp duties.

Stamp-Office, Edinburgh, } ALEX. MENZIES, Collector.
July 20. 1786.

SALE OF A SHOP.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 9th day of August next betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon.

A SHOP on the north side of the Lawnmarket, nearly opposite to Turk's Clock, as presently occupied by Mr Logan baker.

The title-deeds and articles of sale will be shown by James Bremner writer in Edinburgh; to whom any person intending to purchase by private bargain may apply.

Roup of Work-Horses, Cattle, &c.

At Tulliebeltan, Perthshire.

ON Monday 31st July instant, there will be exposed to public roup and sale, at Tulliebeltan, in the parish of Auchtergaven, and shire of Perth,

The STOCKING upon the Farm there, in the occupation of the proprietor, consisting of Work and Saddle Horses, Milch Cows, and Young Cattle, Implements of Husbandry, Dairy Utensils, and a considerable quantity of bottles. The roup to begin at ten o'clock forenoon; and credit will be given upon caution being found.

PIANO FORTES, Large and Small,

LIKEWISE

LITTLE PORTABLE ONES for carrying in a Coach, ARE made and Sold by JOHN and ARCHIBALD WATSON, Piano-Forte makers from London, at their Warehouse, No. 2, St. Anne's Street, New Edinburgh, where they respectfully inform their Friends and the Public, that they will be served with Piano Fortes, equally good in materials, workmanship, and tune, with any of the kinds imported from London; and at same time, considerably below the London prices.

As the Watsons, with great diligence have procured an excellent assortment of the various articles used for the manufacture of these Instruments; and as they are made by workmen from the principal manufactories in London, they are enabled to recommend their Piano Fortes to the Public, and to those who are inclined to encourage the infant manufactory in Scotland.

TO BE LET

A Convenient Pleasant LODGING, the second story of Milne's Back Court, Bow-head, consisting of six rooms and a kitchen, with garret and cellar. Enquire at the House.

Not to be repeated.

To be SOLD, and entered to at Martinmas next, **MR DUNDAS of Melville's House** in George's Square, Edinburgh. It will be shown every day from twelve to two o'clock, by the servant in the house.

For further particulars, apply to James Newbigging, at the Sheriff-clerk's Office, Edinburgh.

A House in George's Square. TO be SOLD by private bargain, the Countess of Sutherland's House in George's Square, consisting of a front and four floors above, all fitted up in the genteel manner, with coach-house, stable, &c. &c.

The house may be seen any day before 12th August, between the hours of twelve and three.

Enquire at Alexander Mackenzie, writer to the signet.

Roup of Horses.

TO be SOLD by public roup, on Monday the 31st day of July current, at the house of Mrs Baxter in Slateford, two miles west from Edinburgh, **FIVE DRAUGHT HORSES**, very stout, and accustomed both to plough and cart, with **TWO SADDLE MARES**, both well broke.

The roup to begin at eleven o'clock, and continue till all is sold.

SALE OF

Growing Corns, Horses, Cows, &c.

At Blackfens, one mile west from Dundee.

TO be SOLD by public roup, on Tuesday the 1st August 1786, the whole **GROWING CORNS** on the farm of Mains of Blackfens, consisting of wheat, barley, and oats. Purchasers will be allowed the use of the barns and barnyard, with credit until the 1st of February 1787. And on Monday the 28th of August will be exposed to roup, the Farming Utensils, Work Horses, Milch Cows, and Queys of two and three years old of good kinds. A parcel of Ash Wood, and ten ricks of fine Hay. Also, a neat Post Chaise (London built) in exceeding good condition, and a pair Black Carriage Horses, with harness complete. Two good Saddle Horses, and two very handsome Shetlands, perfectly quiet and sure footed.

The roup to begin at 10 o'clock forenoon exactly.

That HOUSE, Garden, and Offices in Seagate of Dundee, belonging to Mr Hunter of Blackfens to be sold. For particulars apply to Mr Chalmers, town-clerk.

AT LONDON—FOR LEITH.

The LOVELY MARY,

JAMES BOYD

for W. BEATSON, Master,

lying at Hawley's Wharf, taking in goods for Leith, Edinburgh, and all places adjacent, and will sail the 8th of August 1786.

The Master to be spoke with at the New-England Coffeehouse, Threadneedle Street, by the Royal Exchange, at Change hours. Mornings and evenings on board the ship.

AT LONDON—FOR LEITH.

The SMACK

NEWCASTLE,

JAMES TAPP Master,

lying at Miller's Wharf, opposite Burr Street, taking in goods for Edinburgh and places adjacent; and will sail the 6th of August.

AT LONDON—FOR LEITH.

THE DIANA,

(A New Ship built for the Trade)

JAMES RITCHIE Master,

Now lying at Hoare's Wharf taking in goods for Leith, and all places adjacent in the frith of Forth, deliverable at Leith, will sail the 8th August 1786.

FOR GRENADA,

THE NEW BRIGANTINE

HOME,

JOHN PATTERSON Master,

Is now ready to receive goods at Greenock, and will be clear to sail the 25th of August.

The Home has most excellent accommodation for passengers, having been particularly fitted up for that purpose.

For freight or passage apply to John Campbell senior, at Glasgow, or the Master at Greenock.

Sale of Lands in Perthshire.

TO be SOLD by public voluntary roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 9th August 1786, between the hours of five and six afternoon.

The Lands and Barony of GORTHE, and Lands of TULCHAN, with the teinds and pertinents thereof, lying within the parish of Foulis and the sheriffdom of Perth. The free rental, after deduction of the minister's stipend and school-felary, is 912 l. 14 s. 8 d. Sterling. These lands hold blench of the Crown, and are valued in the cess-books of the county at 1350 l. Scots.

Also, the Lands of BRACO, DEANSKIER, GANNOCHAN, DUNSE, and EASTER DRUMWANCE, with the teinds and pertinents thereof, and the duty of eight bolls of meal payable out of the lands of Middle Drumwance; and the Town and Lands of DUNDUFF, with the teind heaves thereof included, all lying in the parish of Muthil, and the sheriffdom of Forfar.

The free rental of these lands, after deduction of feuduty, minister's stipend, and school-felary, is 438 l. 10 s. 7 d. 11-raths Sterling.

The lands of Dunduff hold blench of Mr Drummond of Pitkelary; and all of the other lands in the parish of Muthil hold feu of the Duke of Montrose.

The articles of roup, title-deeds, and rental, with the plans and measurements of the several lands, may be seen in the hands of Hugh Corrie writer to the signet, to whom any person wishing to purchase by private bargain may apply; and the lands themselves will be shown by the overseers at Gortie, and Braco Castle.

DUNN'S ASSEMBLY ROOMS.

MORNING CONCERT.

For the Benefit of Mr REINAGLE, On SATURDAY next, will be performed, A Concert of Vocal & Instrumental Music, To begin precisely at eleven o'clock, and to be over in time for the Company to attend the Race.

Particulars of the Concert will be given in the Bills.

Tickets to be had of Mr Reinagle, at Mrs Ritchie's, Scale Stairs, Fleishmarket Close, fourth story; and at the Music Shops.

By ORDER OF THE HONOURABLE

Commissioners of his Majesty's Customs,

THERE is to be exposed to public roup and sale, at the Customhouses of the ports, upon the respective days after-mentioned, at 12 o'clock noon, each day.

Sundry parcels of Foreign TEA, Red and White WINES, and others, lately condemned in his Majesty's Court of Exchequer.

DUNBAR, Monday 31st July, 1786.—344 pounds fine black Tea, 20 dozen and 6 choppin bottles red French Wine, 125 pounds Succus Liquorizæ, a parcel of China, and the materials of the Hull of the sloop Good Intent, after being broke up, together with her tackle, furniture and apparel.

LEITH, Tuesday 1st August, 1786.—69 lbs. fine black Tea, 123 gals. red Portugal Wine, 18 gals. white Portugal Wine, 26 gals. Malaga Wine, 29 gals. Lemon Juice, 168 gals. red French Wine, 5 dozen and 4 choppin bottles Claret, 11 dozen and 8 choppin bottles red Portugal Wine, 24 dozen choppin bottles Sherry Wine, 24 dozen ditto Lisbon Wine, one hoghead Claret, 422 pounds Tallow Candles, 7 cwt. 1 quarter and 3 lbs. foreign Cordage, 75 yards foreign Sail Cloth, 28 lbs. Succus Liquorizæ, and 2 firkins Soft Soap.

ANSTRUTHER, Thursday, 3d August, 1786.—140 lbs. fine black Tea, 4 dozen and 3 Wand Baskets, and a parcel of Hair Brooms.

MONTROSE, Saturday, 5th August, 1786.—265 gallons red Portugal Wine, 60 gallons white Portugal Wine, 5 dozen and 11 choppin bottles white Spanish Wine, 80 lbs. Coffee Berries, 299 lbs. Succus Liquorizæ, and 2 Open Boats.

ABERDEEN, Tuesday, 8th August, 1786.—267 gallons red Portugal Wine, 231 gallons white Portugal Wine, 374 gallons Vinegar, 6 gallons spruce Beer, 9 lbs. black Tea, 110 pieces Nanken, the materials of the Hull of the Mary of Flushing, after being broke up, together with her tackle, furniture, and apparel, and an Open Boat.

GLASGOW, Saturday, 12th August, 1786.—2 fraills, weighing 9 cwt. Raisins, 2 barrels salted White Herrings, and 8 bushels Irish Small Salt.

PORT-GLASGOW, Monday, 14th August, 1786.—The sloop Jessie, burden 14 tons, with her furniture and apparel, 284 bushels Irish Small Salt, 11 empty barrels, and the materials of the Hulls of the Cutters Roffinew and Sally, after being broke up, together with their furniture and apparel.

ROTHSAY, Thursday, 17th August, 1786.—8 gallons red Portugal Wine, 7 gallons white Portugal Wine, the sloop Joan of Rothsay, burthen 20 tons, with her tackle, furniture, and apparel, and 2 Open Boats.

CAMPBELLTON, Monday, 21st August, 1786.—The materials of 2 Open Boats, subject to be broke up before delivery, and 2 Open Boats to be sold entire, with their furniture, and a parcel of Oars and Rudders.

AYR, Thursday, 24th August, 1786.—The materials of 6 Open Boats, subject to be broke up before delivery, with their furniture; together with 5 Open Boats, to be sold entire, with their furniture and apparel.

KIRKCUDBRIGHT, Saturday, 26th August, 1786.—1 hoghead containing 30 gallons Madria Wine, 50 lbs. black Tea, and the materials of an Open Boat, burthen 10 tons, to be broke up before delivery, together with her furniture and apparel.

STRANRAER, Tuesday, 29th August, 1786.—42 lbs. fine Bollea Tea, and 4 Open Boats, subject to be broke up before delivery.

Sale of Lands in Berwickshire.

TO be SOLD, by public voluntary roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 16th of August, between the hours of five and six o'clock afternoon.

THE Lands and Barony of ECCLES, lying in the parish of Eccles, containing upwards of 1350 acres, rented at about L. 1100 Sterling, (which will be considerably encreased in a few years, when some of the leases expire) and sited in the cess-books at L. 1306.

The estate is in excellent order, lies all contiguous, and is completely inclosed with thriving hedges, and has many thriving clumps of planting on it, and hedge-row trees along the inclosures. It lies on the great road from Edinburgh to London by Greenlaw, within a few miles of the towns of Dunfermline, Greenlaw, and Cornhill, and two miles of the river Tweed. The mansion-house, stables, gardens, and policy are in excellent order, and are fit for the immediate reception of a large and genteel family.

For particulars, apply to William Bethune, writer in Edinburgh; or Alexander Low at Woodend, near Dunfermline, will show the lands.

Lands, House, Garden, &c.

In Stirling-shire.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffeehouse, on Thursday the 10th August 1786, between the hours of six and seven afternoon.

The Lands of WESTER LIVLANDS, MEADOWLANDS, CHAPELCROFT, and BIZETLAND, lying in the parish of St Ninians and thire of Stirling.

The lands consist of about seventy Scots acres, partly earse, and partly dryfield, all inclosed and subdivided, and of very fine soil. Livlands holds of the Crown, and is valued in the cess-books at above 200 l. Scots. The other lands, which are of no great extent, hold of subjects superior, for payment of small feu-duties. The lands are at present all out of tack.

There is a very good mansion-house upon the premises, consisting of nine rooms and a kitchen, in good repair, with good offices and out houses, and a very good kitchen-garden and orchard; there are also a considerable number of old trees and young planting on the lands.

The situation of the house is perhaps one of the pleasantest and most beautiful in any country, commanding a view of the windings of the river Forth, from Stirling downwards for many miles, and of the rich and fertile country on both sides of the river. It is within a quarter of a mile of the village of St Ninians, and little more than half a mile from the town of Stirling, where there is an excellent market; and the communication with Edinburgh is rendered very commodious, as there are stage-coaches six days in the week, which arrive at Stirling and Edinburgh by three o'clock each day.

For further particulars apply to Alexander Abercromby writer to signet, or John McGibbon, town clerk of Stirling.

Andrew Downie at Livlands will show the premises.

Lands in Berwickshire.

To be SOLD, by private sale,

THE Lands of FULFORDLEES and WHITELEW CLOVES, lying in the parish of Cockburnspath, and thire of Berwick, consisting of 308 acres, or thereabouts, and paying of yearly rent 150 l. Sterling, with two dozens of kaim heins, and two long carriages, and a garden not reftilled.

These lands have the right of pasturage, &c. upon two extensive commonies adjoining, lie within a few miles of the port of Dunbar, and market-town of Dunfermline, and is to be got within three miles, by a turnpike-road. The purchaser may have access to 40 acres of the farm when he inclines, upon a valuation.—The articles of sale, and progress of writs, which are clear, are to be seen in the hands of James Smith writer in Edinburgh, and John Cockburn writer in Dunfermline, who will inform as to other particulars.

A Lady's Horse for Sale.

TO be SOLD at Clark's Repository, a genteel DARK BAY GELDING, between 14 and 15 hands high, six years old, and warranted sound. He is very quiet, cautious well, and has good paces. Any lady or gentleman may have a trial of him upon giving notice at the stable. The lowest price is Twenty-five Guineas.—He will only remain in town till Saturday next.

Farms in Mid-Lothian to Ser.

TO be LET on a lease, for such a number of years as can be agreed on, the following Farms, lying in the parish of Currie, five miles west from Edinburgh:—

The Farm of WEST KILLMETH and GOWSLAP, consisting of about 220 Scots acres, mostly arable and inclosed land. Cowslap has been long in pasture, and is in good order for tillage.

II. The Farm of MID-KILLMETH and WHITESIDE, consisting of about 150 Scots acres, mostly arable and good inclosed land.

III. The Farm of LIMPHOV, consisting of about 110 Scots acres. The whole of this farm (excepting a few acres, which are only fit for pasture) is arable, and a great part good inclosed land, lying upon the water of Currie. This farm has been in pasture for many years, except one of the parks, consisting of about 16 acres, which was summer-fallowed, and laid down with clover and grass feeds last year.

IV. The Farm of CRAIGENTARRY, consisting of about 580 acres Scots measure, about 200 acres of which is good dry arable land; and the whole is well adapted for sheep and black cattle, as a great part of the lands produce grass fit for bay.

For further particulars, application may be made to Captain John Scott younger of Malkny, or Allan Macdougall writer to the signet; and William Napier, overster at Malkny, will show the grounds.

Lands in East Lothian to Sell.

To be SOLD by Private Bargain,

Either together or separately.

CERTAIN parts of the Barony of WESTER PENT-CATLAND, lying in the parish of Pentcatland, and the sheriffdom of Haddington, particularly the following farms, viz.

1. HUNTLAWMAINS, 2. LAMPCHWELLS, 3. MILTON and MILN, 4. THE FEU-DUTY & SUPERIORITY of MAIGRIE.

These lands are held blench of the Crown. The proprietor has right to the tiends. They are of very considerable extent, and possess many advantages in point of situation, &c.

The tenants will show the grounds and boundaries, &c.

For further particulars apply to George Jeffrey, writer in Edinburgh.

Upset-Prices further Reduced.

TO be SOLD, within the Parliament or New Session-house of Edinburgh, upon Tuesday the 1st day of August 1786, betwixt the hours of four and eight afternoon.

The Following LOTS of the Lands and Estate of CRAIGDARROCH, Remaining Unsold:

LOT I. The Lands of CONRICK, BLAIROCK, BEN-BUY, and CORNBEY, lying in the parish of Glenclain, and thire of Dumfries. The yearly rent of these lands, after all deductions, is proved to be 76 l. 14 s. 2 d. 6-raths.

The proven-value thereof, as being held of a subject superior, was 23 years purchase, or L. 1764 6 9 6-raths.

The tiends are valued, and the free tiend is 9 l. 8 s. 11 d. 7-raths, which, at five years purchase, is 49 14 9 10-raths.

At which sum they were exposed to sale, and were afterwards set up at the reduced price of 1730 l.; but are now to be exposed at the further reduced sum of 1700 l.

LOT II. The Lands of CORYDOW, or CORROCH-DOWS, in the said parish and thire.

The free rent of these lands, after all deductions, is proved to be 34 l. 2 s. 10-raths. And the proven value thereof, as being held of a subject superior, was 23 years purchase, or L. 784 7 7 2-raths.

The tiends are valued, and after deducting the minister's stipend, there remains of free tiend 2 l. 5 d. 4-raths.

Which, at five years purchase, is 10 2 2 8-raths.

Proven value, L. 794 9 9 10-raths.

At which sum they were set up to sale; but afterwards exposed at the reduced sum of 750 l. and are now to be set up at the further reduced price of 700 l.

LOT III. The Lands of MONTGYLE, lying in the parish of Glenclain, and thire of Dumfries. And the Lands of POINTFOOT, in the parish of Dalry, and the sheriffdom of Kirkcubright.

The free rent of these, after all deductions, is proved to be 90 l. 2 s. 1 d. 9-raths, and the value thereof, as being held of a subject superior, was 23 years purchase, or L. 2072 9 4 3-raths.

There is an heritable right to the tiends of Pointfoot. The tiends of Montgyle are valued, and after deducting the minister's stipend, the free tiend of the lands is 2 l. 4 s. 2 d. 4-raths.

Which, at five years purchase, is 11 0 11 4-raths.

Proven value, L. 2083 10 3 7-raths.

The lands were exposed at that sum; afterwards at 1800 l. and are now to be set up at the reduced sum of 1600 l.

LOT IV. The Lands of CORYDOW and GLASGOW-GARROCH, lying in the parish of Balmacellan, and the sheriffdom of Kirkcubright.

The free rent of these lands is proved to be 36 l. 10 s. 8 d. 9-raths. And the value thereof, as being held blench of the Crown, was 24 years purchase, or L. 876 17 6.

The tiends are valued, and the balance of free tiend-duty is 5 l. 10 s. 3 d. 6-raths.

Which, at five years purchase, is 27 11 5 6-raths.

Proven value, L. 904 8 11 6-raths.

The lands were accordingly set up at that sum, and afterwards lowered to 860 l. but are now to be exposed at the reduced sum of 800 l.

LOT V. The Lands of BARNSHALLOCH and DRUMMANISTER, lying in the said parish of Balmacellan, and the sheriffdom of Kirkcubright.

The free yearly rent of these lands, after setting aside a 5th of the rent of Drummanister for tiend, and deducting all public burdens, is proved to be 51 l. 18 s. 10 d. 7-raths; and the proven value thereof, as being held partly of the Crown, and partly of a subject superior, was 23 years purchase, or L. 1220 13 8 8-raths.

The tiends of Barnshalloch are valued, and the balance of the tiend-duty, after deducting minister's stipend, is 1 l. 19 s. 1 d. Which, at five years purchase, is 9 15 5.

And the 5th part of the gross rent, of Drummanister, being 4 l. 1 s. 4 d. which is set off for tiend, is also valued at five years purchase, which thus extends to 20 6 8.

Proven value, L. 1250 15 9 8-raths.

At which the lands were offered to sale. They were afterwards lowered to 1180 l. and are now to be set up at 1000 l.

The articles of roup, progress of writs, and rental of the lands, may be seen in the office of Alexander Stevenson, deputy clerk of Session; and any person desirous of further information may apply to James Walker writer to the signet, or to Commissary Goldie at Dumfries, the factor at the farms.

By the desire of the Stewards of the

BELTONFORD CLUB,

THEY are to meet at Beltonford the first Monday of August, and it is expected that all the members will attend.

The Earl of HADINGTON, and the Hon. FRANCIS CHARLES, Stewards.

Dinner on the table at three o'clock.

JUDICIAL SALE OF

Lands in the County of Linlithgow.

Further Adjourned, at desire of Person intending to purchase. The Upset-price further reduced.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Parliament or New Session House of Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 2d August 1786, before the Lord Ordinary on the bills.

The Following SUBJECTS, which belonged to the deceased William Belcher of Grange, viz.

All and Whole the Lands and Barony of GRANGE, with the coal and salt works, iron stone, iron ore, and others, with the scinds and pertinents, as specified in the act of roup.

ITEM—The House, Kiln, Malt-barn, and others, lying at Old Mill of Grange, of old called St John's Bank, and others, which were purchased by the deceased William Belcher, from David Stevenson, son and apparent heir of the deceased David Stevenson, shipmaster in Barrowburness, being part of the said barony, and holden feu of the heirs of the said William Belcher for payment of 10 marks Scots, 64 bolls wheat, and 8 hen yearly.

ITEM—The House, Biggings, &c. in Bridgeness, and Piece of Ground lying at the well side of the Cunningham of Grange, three Kail Yards, a Piece of Grass Ground, &c. which were purchased by the said William Belcher from Harry Allan, writer in Edinburgh, being also part of the said barony, and holden feu of the heirs of the said William Belcher, for payment of 20 s. Scots yearly.

The lands and houses, &c. are proven to be worth twenty-five and a half years purchase of the neat proven rent, being 400 l. free of all deductions, amounting to L. 10,000.

The coal and salt-work are proven to be worth eleven years purchase of the proven rental, being 300 l. amounting to 3,300.

The iron stone or iron ore is also proven to be worth eleven years purchase of the proven rental, being 100 l. amounting to 1,100.

Total value, L. 14,400.

Which was first reduced by the Lords to 13,800 l. and now to 13,000 l.

The lands lie within a mile of the town of Borrowstounness, and are holden blench of the Crown for payment of a penny Scots money, if asked only. The proprietor is entitled to vote for a member of parliament.

The articles, conditions, and acts of roup, will be seen in the hands of Alexander Stevenson, deputy clerk of Session, or John John Russell, clerk to the signet.

N. B. The whole subjects under sale are set to one tenant at the nett rent of 800 l. upon a thirty-one years lease which commenced at Martinmas 1771; and the tenant is thereby taken bound to pay every public burden and deduction whatever affecting the estate, during the currency of the lease. The proprietor has right to the pier and harbour of Grange; where there is good accommodation for shipping.

TO be SOLD by public roup, or auction, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 7th of August 1786, betwixt the hours of six and seven afternoon.

These Parts of the Estate of MIDDLEBIE, in the parish of Middlebie, and county of Dumfries, viz. Darglathill, Scotbridge, Pottlow, Walls, Pearknows, Middlebie Mill, and two Farms called the East and West Commons.

These lands containing altogether 1950 acres, or thereabouts, situated in a pleasant part of the country, are of an excellent soil, and capable of great improvement, of which they have the means within themselves; for, within these few months, a valuable lime quarry has been discovered in the grounds, which may be wrought by the proprietor, upon payment of surface-damages, that right having been reserved in the lease. And there is great reason to believe, that coal may be found in the lands.

The present free rent, payable by good tenants, on current racks, is about 270 l. Sterling. The whole houses and offices on the different farms have, at very great expense, been lately rebuilt or repaired.

The estate was surveyed by a gentleman of great skill, in the year 1776, and was then valued by him at 6400 l. Sterling; but, for the encouragement of purchasers, it will now be exposed at 6300 l.

The rent-roll, current leases, conditions of roup, and progress of writs will be seen in the hands of James Campbell writer in Edinburgh; and, for further particulars, application may be made to Alexander Farquharson, accountant in Edinburgh, who has power to sell, by private bargain.

TO be SOLD by voluntary roup, within the King's Arms Tavern, in Dumfries, on Wednesday the 13th day of September, betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon.

The Lands and Estate of NEW MAINS and Smalling, as presently possessed by William Jardine and William Fairmyre, lying within the parish of Lochmaben, and county of Dumfries.

The yearly rent of these lands, on a lease which is current to Whitunday 1794, is L. 75 16 6.

From which deducting the feu-duty to Lord Stormont superior of New Mains, L. 2 7 2 8-raths.

Stipend to the minister, 3 6 0.

And school felary, 9 7 2 6-raths.

6 0 5 2-raths.

Remains of free rent, L. 69 16 0 10-raths.

SALE OF DURN.

Adjournment—Upset Price Reduced.
TO BE SOLD by public roup, under authority of the Court of Session, within the Parliament-House of Edinburgh, upon Friday the 4th day of August 1786, between the hours of four and six afternoon,
 All and Whole the Lands, Barony, and Estate of DURN, with the Teinds and Mill of the same, lying in the parish of Fordyce, and shire of Banff, the proven free rent whereof, exclusive of the Cess, which is paid by the tenants, is £11. 6s. 4d. 3-12ths, and the upset price is now to be £16,500 l.

The valued rent is 952 l. Scots; and those parts of the lands held of the Crown entitle the proprietor to a freehold qualification in the county.

The estate is reckoned to contain about 1600 Scots acres, exclusive of a share in an undivided common and moor. It is situated within about a quarter of a mile of Portferry, five miles from Banff, and three from Cullen, in that district of the shire called the *Boyne*. The estate is well tenanted, most of the leases nearly expired, and upon a renewal, it is expected some of the farms will yield more than double the present rent. The lands abound with lime-stone, marble, and white stone quarries; and on the hill of Durn there are great quantities of white stone fit for pottery, for which advantageous offers have been made.

The Lands are also well accommodated with the means of improvement; as the barony has a servitude on the inexhaustible moors of Park, and from their vicinity to water-carriage, coal and every other necessary are easily procured. The Gardens of Durn are very extensive, and well stocked with fruit-trees of the best kinds. A considerable part of the estate contiguous to the house is inclosed and subdivided with whin and thorn-hedges, and belts of thriving young plantations, which render the parks remarkably warm and well-sheltered. There is likewise a good deal of old planting about the house, on which no value is put. A new house may be set down at a little distance from the old one, on a more elevated and most eligible spot, in the middle of a rich loamy field of forty acres, well supplied with spring and running water, and diversified with most delightful and extensive prospects of the Moray Frith, and country adjacent.

N. B. The purchaser of this estate may have an opportunity of purchasing the superiority of that part of it which holds of a subject, and nearly affords a freehold qualification in the shire.

The articles of roup are to be seen in the office of Mr Alexander Ross, depute-clerk of Session; and the rental of the estate, with a measurement, in the hands of William Dick writer to the signet, agent in the sale, to whom, or to Mr Keith Dunbar, depute clerk of Session, intending offerors may apply for other particulars. A plan of the estate lies with Mr James Duff at Banff, factor appointed by the Court; and John Ross, gardener at Durn, will show the grounds.

Sale of Lands in Dumfriesshire.

TO BE SOLD (separately) by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, upon Thursday 27th July 1786, between the hours of five and six afternoon,
 The Lands and Estate of KIRKMICHAEL & GLENAE, lying within the parish of Kirkmichael, and shire of Dumfriesshire; the free rent of which amounts to about 825 l. Sterling. Besides which the tenants, excepting of two farms, are bound to pay the land-tax, and other public burdens.

Also, The Lands of DALRUSCAN, and others, lying in the parish of Tinwald, and shire of Dumfriesshire; the free rent of which amounts to about 530 l. Sterling. Besides which, the tenants are bound to pay the public burdens &c.

These estates extend from ten to within four miles and a half of Dumfries. The great road lately made from Edinburgh to Dumfries by Moffat, runs through the heart of it. The whole estates, except part of one farm, are arable. They lie compact, in the midst of a pleasant country, well situated for lime either from Dumfries, or from the lime-works at Clovenstone, at about six miles distance. The crops which they produce, both of wheat and oats, are remarkable in quality; and Dumfries and Annan in the neighbourhood, are inexhaustible markets for grain, both for home consumption and exportation.

There is a good mansion-house on the estate of Kirkmichael, pleasantly situated on the banks of the water of Ae. The policy and inclosures are extensive and beautiful; and there is, upon that estate, a large orchard, well stocked, and a great deal of wood both old and young, which was about three years ago valued by persons of skill, at between 9000 l. and 10,000 l. Sterling.

Both estates hold of the Crown, and afford several freehold qualifications. The title-deeds are perfectly clear.—The whole tenants are valued.—The proprietor has right to the teinds of Kirkmichael; and the teinds of Dalruscan, &c. are exhausted by the stipend payable to the minister.

The title-deeds, articles of roup, rentals, and current leases, are to be seen in the hands of John Tait junior, writer to the signet, Edinburgh; and copies of the articles of roup, &c. are also lodged with James Graham, writer in Dumfries, factor upon the estate; and to either of them, or to the proprietor at Kirkmichael house, or Mr John Hay accountant, Edinburgh, persons desirous of further information may apply. Mr Hay has power to sell by private bargain.

AYR-SHIRE.

TO BE SOLD,
 THE Three-Pound Land of old extent of KIRKDOMINE, alias KIRKLANDS, and UPPER and NETHER ALDOUNS, with the teinds;—The Forty Shilling Land of NETHER PINMORE, and DAMB and HOLM thereof, with right of redemption of the free teinds;—The Three-Pound Land of Upper and Nether BALLICKMURRIES, FARDENREOCH, and CRAG-CANNOCHIE, with the teinds thereof;—The Lands of MINUTION;—And the Five-Merk Land of MEIKLE and NETHER BENNAN, and teinds of the same; all lying in the parishes of Barr and Colmonell, and shire of Ayr. The rent presently payable for these lands is as follows, viz.

For Kirkdomine alias Kirklands, Upper and Nether Aldouns, and Wood-keeper's possession,	£ 32 0 0
Nether Pinmore, and Damb and Holm thereof,	48 0 0
Ballickmurries,	30 0 0
Fardenreoch,	46 0 0
Cragcannochie,	36 0 0
Minution,	24 0 0
Meikle and Nether Bennan,	41 0 0
	£ 210 0 0
	£ 309 10 0

Besides the public burdens, which are all paid by the tenants.

These lands are of great extent, and are pleasantly situated on the water of Stinchar. They contain lime, and have a draw-kiln upon them, and they are within a few miles of coal. There is likewise upon them, a very considerable quantity of valuable WOOD, nearly ready for cutting; the greatest part whereof is upon the lands of Aldouns, which lie within four miles of the sea-port town of Givran, to which there is a turnpike road.

All these lands are held blench of the Prince, excepting Minution, which holds of the Crown, and the Bennans, which hold of a subject for payment of a small feu-duty. They will be sold either altogether or separately.

The tenants will shew the lands; and for further particulars, application may be made to Primrose Kennedy of Dummellian, Esq; Mr William Leggat, by Stranraer; or Andrew Blane writer to the signet, who will show the title-deeds, &c.

All persons having claims against Mr MILLRATH of Kirkland, will please send notes thereof, without delay, to the above Andrew Blane.

Sale of Lands in the County of ROXBURGH.

TO BE SOLD by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 2d day of August 1786, betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon.
 The Lands and Barony of NEWTON, lying in the parish of Bedrule.—And,
 The Lands of MUIRHOUSELAW, lying in the parish of Maxton.

N. B. The Sale of LONGLEE and GILLISTONGUES, is put off till a further day, of which public notice will be given.

For information apply to Patrick Kerr, writer to the signet.

TRINITY MAINS near EDINBURGH, and LANDS in AYRSHIRE.

TO BE SOLD by public roup, in Poole's Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on Monday the 31st July current, at six afternoon precisely.

The Lands of TRINITY MAINS, consisting of about 55 Scots acres, and holding feu of the Trinity House of Leith, for payment of two bolls of barley at the Mid-Lothian fairs, twenty shillings in money per acre, and minister's stipend, cess, and road money.

These lands lie in a situation truly delightful, on the banks of the Frith of Forth, about one mile west of Leith, and one mile north of the New Town of Edinburgh. The roads from Edinburgh and Leith to Queensferry meet at the gates of the lands. A coach-road down to the sea is made through them, and there are lodges and gates at each end of it.

The soil is rich and dry, remarkably early, and well adapted for gardens, summer houses, sea-bathing quarters, &c. and would make an elegant villa, as the views are very extensive, and most pleasant.

There are besides on these grounds a mansion-house, and a large court of houses, stables, coach-house, &c. with two pump wells, an extensive garden well laid out, and richly furnished, and a thriving belt of planting around it.

The purchaser can soon have possession of the houses, gardens, and some fields; and the whole, if wanted, can be procured by paying a reasonable sum to the tenant, whose lease expires in a few years.

These lands will be exposed at 800 l. Sterling.
 ALSO, The Lands of WILLOWYARDS, in the parish of Beith, and shire of Ayr, consisting of about 175 English acres of arable land, well inclosed, and subdivided into fifteen fields, and let by one lease to three substantial tenants for 19 years, at 150 l. per annum.

This farm is pleasantly situated along the side of Kilburny Loch, which abounds with pike and perch. It is within half a mile of Beith, a post and market town, where extensive manufactures are carried on in silk, cotton, and linen. It is eight miles west of Paisley, on the road to Irvine, and in the center between Paisley, Irvine, Kilmarnock, and Greenock.

Upon this property there is a good house, and garden stocked with fruit trees, and an elegant court of offices newly erected.

A valuable flag and stone quarry has been opened in the ground; and it is believed there are coal and limestone in it, but both these articles are in such plenty, and so near indeed that no essay has been made for them.

There are about 10 acres of wood, and a good deal of timber on this farm; and thriving belts of planting surround the greatest part of it. The tenants are bound to preserve the planting and woods, which are fully fenced.

To encourage offerors, it will be exposed at 3000 l. being only twenty years purchase of the rental.

The title-deeds of these subjects, and the articles of roup, are in the hands of James Buchan writer to the signet, who has power to conclude a private bargain, previous to the day of sale.

ON Thursday the 3d of August 1786, at 12 o'clock noon, there will be exposed to SALE, by public roup, within the house of Mrs Graham, Paisley,
 THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS,
 Which belonged to the deceased James Maxwell of Castlehead, viz.

All and Hail the Lands of HUTHEAD, or CASTLEHEAD, lying with the liberties of the town of Paisley.

These lands consist of about 28 acres, all sufficiently inclosed with stone dykes, and subdivided into six inclosures with ditches and hedges. There is an exceeding good house of two storeys on the lands, built within these twenty years, all which, except one room, is genteelly repaired, with suitable offices and a large barn. The garden is stocked with variety of fruit trees of good kinds, and in a thriving condition. There is also a great deal of barren timber on the grounds in a thriving state. These lands lie within a quarter of an hour's walk of the Crofs of Paisley, and are holden of the town of Paisley, as superiors, for payment of 3 l. 11 s. 8 d. Scots of feu-duty yearly, with 1 l. 11 s. 4 d. Scots of teind; and a singular success for an entry pays only 4 marks Scots for each acre.—Also,

All and Hail the Lands of RICCARTSBAR, adjoining to said lands of Castlehead, and divided only by a stone dyke, in the following divisions, viz.

LOT I.—All and Hail Two Inclosures of Land, presently possessed by Robert Wright upon a tack of nineteen years after Martinmas 1779, at the yearly rent of 14 l. 10 s. Sterling, besides a proportional part of the cess. This lot consists of about 10 acres.

LOT II.—All and Hail Two Inclosures of Land on the west of and in a line with the former; one of which consisting of about 5 acres 3 rods, or thereby, is possessed by William Schater, at the yearly rent of 1 l. 10 s. per acre, upon a tack of nineteen years after Martinmas 1779; the other inclosure, about the same extent, is out of tack, and set in grass for this season only.

LOT III.—All and Hail these Parts of the Lands of Riccartbar, consisting of about 27 acres, and possessed by said William Schater upon a tack of nineteen years after Martinmas 1779, at 1 l. 10 s. per acre of yearly rent. This lot is divided into six inclosures, on one of which there is a good house, barn, and byre.

LOT IV.—All and Hail Two Inclosures, consisting of about 6 acres, and possessed by Robert Cochran, upon a tack for nineteen years after Martinmas 1781, at the yearly rent of 12 l. Sterling. This lot lies on Maxwellton Burn, and can easily be converted into a bleaching field.

LOT V.—All and Hail an Inclosure of Land, lying near Maxwellton, called the Loch, consisting of near 5 acres, and presently possessed by Mr McKerral on a tack for nineteen years, at the yearly rent of 13 l. Sterling; which tack expires at Martinmas next.

The whole lands of Riccartbar, consisting of the above lots, are holden of Mr William Maxwell of Bedrule, for payment of 10 pecks of bear and 10 pecks of meal yearly, which will be divided among the different lots, in proportion to their extent. The grounds are all sufficiently inclosed and subdivided, and well watered, and lie about a mile from the Crofs of Paisley.—Also,

There will be exposed in Readings for building houses, an Inclosure of Ground in the Back Row near Maxwellton. In this inclosure there will be four large Readings, with long gardens, to the eastmost of which will be added half an acre of land lying near thereto, and to enter immediately off said Reading.—Also,

A Steading of Ground of 40 feet of front, with a large quantity of garden ground belonging to the same, and lying at the end of Maxwellton.

LASTLY,
 A small Inclosure of Ground, on the toll-road on the west end of Paisley, to be sold off in Readings for building houses on. In this inclosure there will be about seven Readings, with great plenty of garden ground at the back.

These three last pieces of land lie within the liberties of the town of Paisley.

The articles of roup, with the progress of writs, will be shown by Alexander Gibson, Town-clerk of Paisley.

JUDICIAL SALE.

By Adjournment—Upset-Price Reduced.

TO BE SOLD by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, within the Parliament or New Session-house of Edinburgh, upon Thursday the 17th July 1786, between the hours of four and six o'clock afternoon, before the Lord Ordinary on the bills,
 The Remaining Subjects which belonged to JAMES ALCON, Clock and Watchmaker in Edinburgh, viz. The House and Garret in Meilne's Wynd, lately possessed by Neill and Gordon as a printing-office, at the proven rent of £ 8 0 0

The House below Neill and Gordon, lately possessed by David Williamson, poultryman, at the proven rent of £ 8 0 0

Sum of proven rent, £ 16 0 0
 And the proven value, or upset-price, was nine years purchase of said proven rent, amounting to £ 144 0 0
 But the upset price is now reduced to £ 120 0 0

Which is only seven and a half years purchase of the proven rent; a small value for houses lying in the vicinity of the fourth bridge, where it may be expected the value of property will be considerably encreased by the improvements now making.

The articles of roup, and title-deeds, may be seen by applying at the office of Keith Dunbar, depute clerk of Session, or George Cairncross, writer in Edinburgh, agent in the sale.

BY ADJOURNMENT

At the desire of Persons intending to purchase.

Sale of Lands, Salmon & White Fishings, in the Counties of

Elgin and Forres, Nairn, Inverness and Ross.

TO BE SOLD by public roup or auction, within the Old Exchange Coffee-house in Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 9th of August 1786, betwixt the hours of five and seven in the afternoon.

LOT I. The Estates of DALVEY and GRANGE-GREEN, formerly called Grangehill, in the united parishes of Dyke and Moy, and county of Elgin and Forres. These lands are of good soil, abound with limestone, and are capable of great improvement, as they lie in the middle of a populous country, are moderately rented, and mostly out of lease. By a late division, a most has been annexed to this estate, which being now drained, a considerable tract of ground, upon the side of it, offers a valuable and easy subject for improvement. There are two extensive plantations of trees on the estate of Dalvey, in an advanced and thriving state, and a good pigeon-house, well stored. The mansion-house of Dalvey commands an extensive view of the Moray Frith, town and harbour of Findhorn, town of Forres, and of the adjacent country. The Gardens are excellent, and the offices new and complete. The free rent of Dalvey, reckoning both the bear and meal at the low conversion of ten marks per boll, amounts to 244 l. 12 s. 8 d. 6-12ths Sterling.

The free rent of Grange-green, at the above conversion, including a salmon-fishing on the river of Findhorn, rented at 126 l. 2 s. 11 d. 6-12ths, after deduction of public burdens, amounts to 249 l. 3 s. 3 d. 6-12ths Sterling.

The Lands of Dalvey and Grange-green both hold feu of the Crown. The valued rent of Dalvey is 700 l. 15 s. 10 d. and of Grange-green, 473 l. 19 s. 10 d. Scots. The purchaser of this lot will be allowed to retain a proportional part of the price, during the life of a gentleman who liferents Grange-green, and who is past 74 years of age, unless the liferent is renounced. This lot is to be exposed at the upset price of 12,977 l. 4 s. 4 d. Sterling.

LOT II. The Lands and Estate of KINCORTH, and EASTER BIN, in the said united parishes of Dyke and Moy, and shire of Elgin and Forres, held of a subject superior for a small feu-duty, lie along the bay of Findhorn, are mostly out of lease, and are very improvable, having an extensive tract of rich ground belonging to these lands, in common with a neighbouring proprietor. The free rent of this lot, on which there is also a pigeon-house, not rented, converting the meal and bear as above, and including a salmon-fishing, which yields of free rent 97 l. 16 s. 4 d. 2-12ths Sterling, amounts to 268 l. 5 s. 0 d. 9-12ths Sterling. The upset-price of this lot to be 6387 l. 13 s. 6 d. Sterling.

LOT III. The Lands and Estate of PARK, in the parish of Aldern, and county of Nairn, yielding a clear rent of 34 l. 11 s. 4 d. 10-12ths Sterling of money, and 303 bolls 2 lippies of victual, half meal half bear, the meal at 9 stone 12 lib. to the boll. This lot holds of the Crown, and is valued in the cess-books at 777 l. 5 s. Scots. The lands are situated within two miles of the town of Nairn, and within six of Port George, and are of excellent soil, capable of great improvement. They have an heritable tolerance or servitude of peats on two extensive moors in the neighbourhood. Upon this estate of Park there are two extensive inclosures, planted with firs, which are well grown, and in a thriving condition. This lot is to be set up at 5275 l. 18 s. 6 d. Sterling.

LOT IV. The Lands and Barony of CLAVA, lying in the parish of Croy, and county of Nairn, are situated within four miles of Inverness, and the like distance from Nairn and Fort George. These lands hold of the Crown, and are valued in the cess books at 293 l. 15 s. 8 d. Scots: And, along with these lands of Clava, are to be sold, the Lands of MID-FLEENES, lying in the parish of Ardclaugh, and county of Nairn; holding also feu of the Crown, and valued in the cess books at 152 l. 10 s. 8 d. Scots.

The free rent of the lands and barony of Clava, including Mid Fleenes, converting the victual at ten marks per boll, amounts to 225 l. 2 s. 3 d. 9-12ths Sterling.

The Lands of Clava, lying along the river of Nairn, produce excellent corn, and are noted pasture-grounds for cattle and sheep. There are abundance of mosses and limestone on this estate, and favourable appearance of coal. The leases being all expired, except one of a single farm, a purchaser will have an opportunity of improving the lands, or of letting them to advantage. This lot will be put to sale at the sum of 6303 l. 4 s. 9 d. Sterling.

LOT V. THE LANDS and TENEMENTS lying about the town of Nairn, which lately belonged in property to the family of Rose of Clava, with one half of the mill of Nairn, and the half of the salmon-fishings on the water of Nairn, held of subjects superiors. These Lands are all out of lease; and the rents have not been raised for many years past. They are well supplied with peats from the moss of Nairn, and accommodated with a considerable extent of out pasture-ground of the common of Nairn. The old Mansion-house, pigeon-house, and garden of Clava, with some tenements in the town of Nairn, are included in this Lot; and there are sundry boats on this parcel, for white or sea fishery, which pay teind-fish that are not rented. The free rent of this Lot, including 51 l. Sterling for the salmon-fishing, amounts to 232 l. 14 s. 10 d. 7-12ths Sterling. The upset-price is 5643 l. 6 s. 11 d. Sterling.

LOT VI. THE LANDS lying in and about the towns of Fortrose and of Rosemarkie, situated along the bays of Fortrose and Avock, holding partly of the Magistrates of Fortrose, and partly of Mr Ross of Cromarty.

The free rent of these Lands, which may be sold together or in separate Lots, as purchasers incline, computing 15 bolls 2 firlets bear at ten shillings per boll, amounts to 192 l. 7 s. 10 d. 4-12ths Sterling. This lot, if exposed in cumulo, is to be put up at 4809 l. 16 s. 6 d. Sterling.

Persons intending to purchase may apply, for further information, to Mr William Keith, accountant in Edinburgh, who has powers to sell by private bargain; or to Colquhoun Grant writer to the signet, who will show the title-deeds, or progress of writings, articles or conditions of roup, and rentals of the several estates.

David Robertson, at Grange-green near Forres, the present factor, will show the estates, when required.

Sale of Lands in Roxburghshire, ADJOURNED.

At the Desire of Persons Intending to Purchase.
THE SALE of the Lands and Barony of HUNTHILL, which flood fixed for the 31st inst. is PUT OFF till a future day.

Lands in the County of Fife to Sell.

TO BE SOLD, within the Old Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 2d day of August next, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon,
 All and Whole the Town and Lands of NORTHER-GLASSMONT, being a forty-shilling land, with the teinds and pertinents, as the same are presently possessed by Captain James Abercromby, lying within the parish of Kinghorn, and shire of Fife.

These lands hold of a subject for payment of a final feu-duty. They lie within three miles of the burgh of Kinghorn, are all inclosed and subdivided partly with stone dykes, and partly with hedge and ditch; the hedges being in a very thriving condition.

The conditions of sale, with the progress of writs, are to be seen in the hands of James Laidlaw writer to the signet, to whom intending purchasers may apply.

JUDICIAL SALE OF KNOCKANDO AND CRAIGMILL.

TO BE SOLD, by public roup, under the authority of the Court of Session, within the Parliament or New Session-house of Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 2d day of August next, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon, in one, two, or three lots, as purchasers shall incline.

All and whole the Lands and Estate of KNOCKANDO and CRAIGMILL, and right by wadset to the superiority of COTTONHILL, all belonging to the late Captain Ludewick Grant of Knockando, and brought to sale at the instance of Elizabeth Grant, his eldest daughter, as apparent heir, with consent of her curators.

LOT I. The Lands of Knockando have a right of fishing salmon in the river Spey, and lie in the parish of Knockando, and shire of Elgin and Forres, and the proven gross rent of them, as payable by the tenants, is £ 513 18 11

As there is no heritable right produced to the teinds of these lands, a full fifth is, on that account, deducted from the gross rent; *vide*, £ 102 15 9 4-12ths
 The feu-duty is also deducted, £ 111 4 8-12ths, 104 7 3

The proven free rent is, £ 409 11 9
 Which being valued in the sale at twenty-five years purchase, the upset-price at which the lands are ordered to be exposed, is £ 10,239, 13 s. 9 d. Sterling.

Besides the above gross rent, the tenants pay the land-tax and school-fair, and perform various services, when required, not specially mentioned nor converted in the rental.

It will also occur to those intending to purchase, that although, in the sale, it is necessary, for want of an heritable right, to deduct a fifth for teind, the value of a perpetual right by tack, when ascertained according to the established rules, supposing they are Bishop's tithes, not payable, is, in a comparative view with the deduction on that account from the rent, a very inconsiderable object, and that, if they are parsonage tithes, they can be purchased at six year's purchase of the free teind, after deducting king's annuity and minister's stipend, which last is, in this case, 19 l. 14 s. 5 d. 4-12ths in money, and 9 bolls of meal, at 8 stone per boll.

There is likewise a fine natural wood, of considerable extent, consisting chiefly of oak, birch, and allan. Besides this natural wood, there are two thriving plantations of firs, the one of them, at an average, about twenty years of age, and occupying about 100 acres, the other planted about the year 1774, neither of which woods, natural or planted, are valued in the sale; nor is any value put upon the salmon-fishing, although it produces sufficiency of fish, in the season, for the proprietor's own family, and might yield some rent, was he disposed to grant a lease of the fishing.

These lands lie upon the north side of the Spey, about ten computed miles from Elgin, and the same from Forres, the two county-towns. They are well accommodated, are capable of great improvement, and afford abundance of mair-game. According to a survey made some time ago, their contents are as follow:

	Scots Acres.
Arable Lands,	1168
Grass,	611
Under Wood,	177
Moss,	650
Mair and Heath Pasture,	2493
	5109

The mansion-house is neat and commodious, sufficient to accommodate a genteel family; and the offices are suitable to the house, and in the best order. The house is placed upon a rising ground, betwixt two rivulets or burns, which run into Spey in the view of it; and the grounds nigh the house are all covered with natural wood of various kinds, in a thriving state. The river Spey is in front of the house, and runs in view thereof for some distance, in a serpentine course.

The gardens are of considerable extent, and contain great variety of fruit-trees of the best kinds, which bear early and excellent fruit. The grounds around the house are laid out with taste, containing variety of trees and flowering shrubs, and having serpentine walks through them, and along the burns on each side for a considerable space. The conveniences about this place are great, and the situation truly healthy and beautiful.

The lands hold of the Crown, and the valued rent of them is 6281. 3 s. 10 d. Scots; which considerably exceeds the sum required for a freehold-qualification in the county.

LOT II. The Lands of Craigmill lie in the parish of Dolas, and county of Forfar; they hold of a subject superior, for payment of a feu-duty of 8 s. 4 d. Scots. There is an heritable right produced to the teinds of these lands, and the proven free rent, after deducting feu-duty, stipend, and school salary, is 159 l. 4 s. 2 d. 1-12th Sterling, which being valued at twenty-five years purchase, the upset price at which the lands are ordered to be exposed, is 3980 l. 4 s. 4 d. 1-12th Sterling.

These lands lie within four miles of the town of Forres, and about seven from Findhorn, a sea-port town. They are well accommodated with fuel, and every other necessary; afford also plenty of mair-game, and are capable of great improvement.

LOT III. The lands of Cottonhill lie in the parish of Bally, lordship of Enzie, and county of Banff, and hold of the Crown; but as they were disposed in wadset to the said deceased Captain Ludewick Grant, by his Grace Alexander Duke of Gordon, redeemable by his Grace, or his heirs, at Whit Sunday 1776, or at any other term, for payment of 20 l. Scots, they are valued at no more in the sale, and are ordered to be exposed at that sum, being 1 l. 13 s. 4 d. Sterling.

The articles of roup are to be seen in the office of Mr Thomas Bruce, depute-clerk of Session; and a copy of these articles, with the rental, title-deeds, and measurement of the estate, may be seen, and any further information had, by applying to Alexander Grant writer, at Mr Isaac Grant's writer to the signet, Edinburgh.

Plans of Knockando and Craigmill, lie with Mr Daniel Cruickshank at Archibald's of Ballintomb, factor upon both estates, who will be ready at any time to show the grounds of either estate.